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DATE: 31 July 1989

TASKER

1. PROJECT: 8925(P)
2. ENCRYPTED COORDINATES: 520980/529857
3. BACKGROUND: N/A
4. TASK:

Using whatever methodology you prefer (GRV, ERV, WRV, etc.), provide as accurate an evaluation as possible of the most recent news on LTC Higgins and his condition.

Referral Review by NIMA/DoD

8925  
890802  
V: 025  
S: 01

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

LTC Higgins is alive and is currently under the observation of the shiites. The video tape was the killing of a serviceman who is not LTC Higgins. All of the hostages will be released in mid August following political negotiations. The 22nd is an important date.

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5925 (P-2)  
890802  
V: 025  
S: 01

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

Lt. Col. Higgins is alive and under the observation of the Shiites. The video tape was of a serviceman who is not Lt. Col. Higgins. The hostages will be released in mid august following political negotiations. The 22nd is an important date.

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890803  
V: 025  
S: 02

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

Lt. Col. William Higgins is currently located at Al Mahmudiyah. Terry Anderson is at Shabriha. Edward Tracy and Frank Reed are at Mazara 'at Zighrin. Joseph Cicippio, Robert Pohill, and Alann Steen are at Rashayya Fukhkhar. Thomas Southerland and Jesse Turner are at Jubb Jannin.

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PROJECT NUMBER: 8925 *8868* SESSION NUMBER: 01  
DATE OF SESSION: 2 AUG 89 DATE OF REPORT: 2 AUG 89  
START: END:  
METHODOLOGY: SOLO VIEWER IDENTIFIER: 025  
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1. (S/NF/SK) MISSION: Determine whether USMC LTC William Rich Higgins is dead or alive.
2. (S/NF/SK) VIEWER TASKING: Determine whether USMC LTC Higgins is dead or alive.
3. (S/NF/SK) COMMENTS: No known inclemencies noted. A Summary of Information is attached to this report.
4. (S/NF/SK): EVALUATION:

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